factory equipment shall be installed. All wells and cisterns that are found by the Mayor and Council of Mt. Airy to be polluted or a menace to health shall be abandoned and closed. Any violation of the provisions of this section shall be a misdemeanor, punishable under Section 257 of this sub-title.

1924, ch. 126, sec. 9.

Before any plumbing, water works construction is done in any building, or upon any private property, within the corporate limits of the town of Mt. Airy, the person, firm or corporation doing the same shall first obtain a permit from said Mayor and Council of Mt. Airy and pay therefor such reasonable sum as the Mayor and Council of Mt. Airy may prescribe. Such work shall be done under and pursuant to such rules, regulations and requirements as the Mayor and Council of Mt. Airv may, from time to time, formulate, and subject to such inspection as may be deemed necessary. No connection of any kind shall be made with any water main, constructed or maintained by said Mayor and Council of Mt. Airy, without a permit and under such conditions as said Mayor and Council of Mt. Airy may authorize. Said Mayor and Council of Mt. Airy shall have the right of entry at reasonable hours to all buildings and premises having any connection with the water supply system under its jurisdiction, and may order and require such changes in all water supply connections as it may deem necessary to eliminate improper use of water. In order to prevent waste of water, said Mayor and Council of Mt. Airy shall have the right of entry at reasonable hours to all buildings or premises having such connection with the water supply under its jurisdiction, and may order and require such changes in all plumbing, water works or water connections as it may deem necessary to eliminate leakage or loss of water. No private or semi-public water supply installation intended for the use of two or more buildings or premises shall be constructed in said town of Mt. Airy without the person, firm or corporation doing the work having first obtained a permit from said Mayor and Council of Mt. Airy and paid a reasonable charge therefor, and such plants shall then be installed, maintained and operated under such rules and regulations as said Mayor and Council of Mt. Airy may require or devise. Any violation of any of the provisions of this section shall be a misdemeanor, punishable under Section 257 of this sub-title.

1924, ch. 126, sec. 10.

598A. For every water connection as provided under Section 249, said Mayor and Council of Mt. Airy shall make such charge as it shall determine to be reasonable, which charge shall be uniform throughout the town of Mt. Airy, subject, however, to revision annually by the Mayor and Council of Mt. Airy. Said charge shall be paid by all property owners at the Office of the Mayor and Council of Mt. Airy before the actual connection with any pipe on private property is made; or any owner so desiring may so pay one-fourth of said charge, in which case the bal-